

WHEN ALL ELSE FAILED.

Paine's Celery Compound Made Mrs. Leighton and Her Sister Well Again.



"O, I'm only a little nervous. I didn't use to be. What can I do to overcome it? Just what a woman means by being a little nervous she can't exactly say. She tells you she is restless; that she can no longer sew or read; conversation no longer interests or it even troubles her; noises startle her, and she cries for no cause. Such are the first small beginnings of nervous weakness. The world is full of loving, patient wives and mothers who have been called upon to suffer intense emotional strain; have undertaken to nurse those dear to them through protracted illness, or have worked beyond their physical powers. During the many years of hard and wonderful work, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, Dartmouth's great professor, had these weak, "run down" women in mind. The study of such cases of nervous prostration, neuralgia, rheumatism, dyspepsia, and debility led him to that most marvelous discovery of the century, Paine's Celery Compound. Prof. Phelps became convinced that the trouble in all these cases of weakness lay in a disturbance of nutrition. The cure lies in purer, richer blood

and better fed nervous tissues. Paine's Celery Compound stirs the excretory organs, the liver and kidneys, to stronger action; the blood grows at once purer and redder and more capable of carrying nutriment and oxygen to every nerve and muscular fiber of the body. Paine's Celery Compound makes people well by building up new tissues in place of the old; regulating shaky nerves by appropriate nerve food and sending a strong, full tide of pure blood through the diseased parts of the liver, heart, stomach, and kidneys. To worried women, just as to business men staggering under financial adversity, comes nervousness and final break down. "I am not ill enough to take medicine," she too often says, and puts off from day to day the correction of her trouble. Paine's Celery Compound is the great spring medicine. It cures every form of nervous weakness and the special disorders of liver, heart, stomach, and kidneys that arise from impure blood and a "run down" system badly nourished. These are the difficulties that Paine's Celery Compound corrects. It builds up the whole body, blood, nerves, and tissues in a way that nothing else has ever equalled. People get well who thoughtfully and thoroughly try it. For rheumatism it is the only true specific.

Prof. F. A. Leighton is instructor and superintendent of the state dairy school at Ames, Ia. He has been there several years and is well known throughout that state. His wife writing to Wells, Richardson & Co., who now prepare Paine's Celery Compound, says: "Last May I had rheumatism so severely that I could only get around by the aid of crutches. Nothing that I used did me any good, and I despaired of regaining my health. A friend recommended Paine's Celery Compound to me, and I used it regularly for two months. As a result, I was able to visit the world's fair, staying there for quite a while and walking all day without any difficulty. "The compound also did my sister a great deal of good while attending college, giving her strength and health. There is nothing I know of in the world that is its equal for building up the weak and run-down, and giving strength and tone to the system. I am better than for years, and ascribe my improvement wholly to the use of Paine's Celery Compound." This is one of the thousands of similar testimonials that Paine's Celery Compound is the remedy that makes people well.

IT HITS THEM HARD.

Many Mechanics in the Santa Fe Shops

DO NOT GET ONE DOLLAR A DAY

Since the Recent Cut in Time Went Into Effect—Unfortunate Lot of Men Who Have Families to Support.

Since the reduction of time at the Santa Fe shops to forty hours a week, a large number of the employees there are receiving wages which will astonish many people who do not understand how the industrial depression is affecting the workman. There are hundreds of men at the shops with families who are now earning barely \$5 a week out of which they must pay house-rent and buy food and clothing.

The best paid men in the shops are the most experienced mechanics and boiler-makers. There is no established scale by which the pay of any of the men is determined, but these get an average now of twenty-seven cents per hour. At this rate a forty-hour week less their hospital assessment of 50 cents a month, leaves a weekly stipend of \$10.08, and these are the foremen and the highest class of workmen. The helpers and apprentices average 13 cents an hour and draw for a week's hard work the sum of \$5.14, after deducting the hospital assessment of six cents a week.

The reader will remember that these figures are averages and fair ones, and that the hospital assessment is deducted from each total. The next best paid department is the coach painting shop where the average for skilled labor is 23 cents an hour, and under the reduction \$9.08 a week.

The helpers and apprentices have about the same average here as in the machine shops, and make the same \$5.14 a week. Next come the car shops where the average for the best class of labor is 23 cents an hour and the week's work represents an average of \$8.68. The apprentices and helpers here get also \$5.14 a week.

So far as wages are concerned, the blacksmith may be classed with the car shop both in skilled and unskilled labor. Next and last of mention in this list are the car repairers or "whackers" as they are called. The best of these—for they are few—get for an hour's work 20 cents or \$7.88 per week of forty hours.

Their helpers are compelled to worry along with 12 cents an hour, which makes them an income of \$4.74. It is to be understood, that these are not all young men. Many of them have wives and families to support, and some have homes to pay for or to raise a mortgage from.

We frequently hear it stated by people who don't know the facts that there is no poverty in Topeka. "Oh, no, no poverty in Topeka," but it will be seen from the above figures that there is a great deal of poverty in Topeka and that there must necessarily be much suffering and deprivation in the families of men who are earning but \$5.14 a week or \$4.74 a week. If "life isn't worth living on \$1.50 a day" what can be expected on less than a dollar a day. It is not surprising that there is agitation among the ranks of the laboring men. It is no wonder that those who can't get even \$7.88 a week are moving "on to Washington." Roadsters of the Journal who have incomes ranging from \$100 to \$500 a month or more may have condemned the agitation among the laboring classes, but it is safe to say that if they were compelled by force of circumstances or bad legislation to accept such pay, they would become agitators, too. They simply wouldn't endure it. The patience of the working classes, under the circumstances, is remarkable.

MYTON AND EDWARDS.

Mr. Myton Says They are 110 Miles Apart.

Two men, candidates for the same state office, that of auditor, sat in close communion this morning at the Copeland. They were Geo. E. Cole of Girard, and H. P. Myton of Garden City. A Journal reporter interrupted the conference with the question: "Are you trying to figure how you can both be nominated?"

"On no," replied Myton, "I am just trying to convince Cole that we intend to nominate Dr. King."

Dr. King is from Girard, and is a candidate for lieutenant governor, and his nomination would defeat Cole. Cole looked incredulously at the reporter, as if to say, "We'll see about that," but said nothing.

"Some of you folks up here seem to think," continued Myton, "that Billy Edwards and I cannot both be nominated because we come from the same district. You forget how large the Seventh district is. Why, Edwards and I live 110 miles apart, and the seventh district is surely entitled to two candidates."

"We are for Dave Heizer for governor. Some of his friends have tried to have him pull off and be a candidate for lieutenant governor but I haven't heard a word about his withdrawal and I am sure he is still in the race."

"What about Long's chances for congress?"

"Long will be elected. A great many who didn't vote for him before have told me that they will support him now. The Populists will, I think, nominate Senator Landis of Medicine Lodge. Jerry Simpson will not be nominated on account of the serious condition of his health."

Geo. E. Cole has been in the county clerk's office at Girard for eleven years. He used to work in the mines but is now a cripple and walks with crutches. He is popular with the miners and would be a strong candidate in the southeast. He refused to talk about his canvass.

STOOD THE TEST.

Allcock's Porous Plasters are unapproachable in curative properties, rapidity and safety of action, and are the only reliable plasters ever produced. They have successfully stood the test of over thirty years' use by the public; their virtues have never been equalled by imitations who have sought to trade upon the reputation of Allcock's by making plasters with holes in them, and claiming them to be "just as good as Allcock's," and they stand today indorsed by not only the highest medical authorities, but by millions of grateful patients who have proved their efficacy as a household remedy.

Beware of imitations. Ask for Allcock's, and do not be persuaded to accept a substitute. Brandreth's Pills will purify the blood.

A POOR OLD VET.

He Used to Live in Topeka—Tries to Commit Suicide.

A letter was received by Major T. J. Anderson recently from C. Newall, post command of the G. A. R. at Portland, Oregon, stating that Thompson R. Medkelf, formerly of Topeka, and an old soldier, had attempted to drown himself in the river at that place. Medkelf, the letter says, has a pension voucher No. 861119 but has lost his certificate, so cannot draw his money, which amounts to \$4.00 a month, and as he can find no work and is discouraged generally, he concluded to kill himself.

The post at Portland has him in charge and desires Mr. Gillick to send a duplicate of his pension certificate. Post Commander Sam Grosch secured the necessary papers and sent them to Medkelf yesterday.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

Railroad Commissioner Maxson is sick. "Keep off the grass." There's chiggers in it.

The huckster's melodious voice froze in his throat this morning. The first installment of home grown strawberries is on the market.

The Santa Fe employees east of Kansas City have all been vaccinated. There is a baby in town ten months old that can say "Ta ra ra Bum."

General John Sherman Sanders left Topeka last evening for Leavenworth.

There was a rustling around for kindling in a good many homes this morning.

D. C. Tillotson will deliver a temperance discourse at Liberty church Sunday evening.

The city council has at least eight ordinances awaiting its session next Monday night.

State Treasurer Biddle is a good Methodist and often leads the Lowman Hill prayer meetings.

Joseph Reed favors the nomination of Thomas B. Reed (his "cousin Tom") for the presidency.

Ex-Sheriff John M. Wilkerson has returned from a visit to his farm south of St. Joe, Missouri.

Charles Worrall will return from Colorado Springs. He has a good job but he got home sick.

The scholars of two rooms of the Jackson street school are picnicking at Vine-wood this afternoon.

The Union Pacific will run an excursion train from Topeka to Fort Riley on the Fourth of July.

General Manager Frey of the Santa Fe is moving from 1265 Topeka avenue to 900 Topeka avenue.

Prof. Neely's choir will give a sacred concert at the United Presbyterian church tomorrow night.

Rev. M. F. McKirahan will preach to the crazy people tomorrow afternoon at the state insane asylum.

Judge Hazen has granted a divorce to Anderson Scales from Amanda Scales for cruelty. They are colored.

The last examination for certificates to teach in the Topeka schools is being held in the high school rooms today.

Police Matron Thorpe has an article in this week's edition of the Kansas Christian Advocate on "Christian Salt."

Commissioner E. A. Wagener says his liver is out of order. He took half a dozen different drugs for it yesterday.

Jim Legate has been suggested as good material for the Populist candidate for governor should Leveling be turned down.

The Rev. C. Rowland Hill, who is chaplain to Bishop Thomas, is on a missionary tour in the northwestern part of the state.

S. S. Bozarch had a gash two inches long cut on the side of his head in a runaway near the Santa Fe depot yesterday afternoon.

Very few of the state officers "can hold a candle to" Rev. J. M. Harrington, the statehouse guide, when it comes to making a speech.

The absence of Dick Blue from the Second district congressional convention, is one of the remarkable happenings of the campaign.

The police never tell the reporters about the three or four burglaries that occur nearly every night; but the reporters find it out just the same.

Chief Lindsey had his picture taken at St. Louis in a group with 104 other chiefs, and good critics say he is the handsomest one in the lot.

Senator Leedy said yesterday: "I don't want to be a candidate for congress in the Fourth district. I hold one office and am having all I can do to fill that."

On Tuesday afternoon the Ladies' Aid society of the Third Congregational church will meet, and each lady will tell how she earned a dollar for the church.

Rev. L. K. Billingsley, the new Methodist presiding elder of the Topeka district, has moved his family from Spring Hill, Kansas, and is now living at Oakland.

Passenger Traffic Manager White of the Santa Fe and his family passed through Topeka last evening on their way from California to their home in Chicago.

Harry Lyman has accepted the challenge of William Fisher for a wrestling match for \$200, at Hamilton hall between June 4th and 10th. Fisher is given his choice of either the strangle or back-hammer lock hold.

For Over Fifty Years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for teething. It soothes, softens the gums, allays pain, cures colic. Best remedy for diarrhoea. 25 cents a bottle.

If dull spirits and stupid: If your blood is thick and sluggish: If your appetite is capricious and uncertain. You need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take Dr. Williams'. It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S
Cream Baking Powder

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum. Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.



For the KIDNEYS, LIVER and URINARY ORGANS The best blood purifier.

There is only one way by which any disease can be cured, and that is by removing the cause—whatever it may be. The great medical authorities of the day declare that nearly every disease is caused by deranged kidneys or liver. To restore these therefore is the only way by which health can be secured. Here is where Warner's Safe Cure has achieved its great reputation. It acts directly upon the kidneys and liver and by placing them in a healthy condition drives disease out from the system. For all Kidney, Liver and Urinary troubles; for the distressing disorders of Women; for Malaria and phlegm; for all skin diseases, this great remedy has no equal. Beware of imitations, and concoctions sold to be just as good.

H. H. WARNER & CO., London, Rochester, Frankfurt, Toronto, Paris, Melbourne.

TOPEKA CONGRATULATED.

Billy Nelson of the Smith County "Flo-ner" About Our Courthouse.

Editor W. H. Nelson of the Smith Center Pioneer says: "At last Shawnee county is to have a courthouse. Bonds to the amount of \$125,000 have been sold at par and the proceeds are to be used in a building that will be a credit to the state and that county. There is hardly a county in the state that has not a better building for county purposes than Shawnee."

"The old pile adjoining the Dutton house on Kansas avenue which has been known as the courthouse has ever been an eyesore to every progressive citizen of the state. Utterly inadequate as a county building, dingy and poorly ventilated, the county has been compelled for years to rent offices for most of the county offices. Yet heretofore it has been impossible for the citizens to agree to build a good courthouse. Now that the arrangements are made and the contract in the hands of that successful and veteran builder, George H. Evans, we may soon hope to see a building of which all may well feel proud."

"We congratulate the citizens of Shawnee county that the county in which is located our capital city is to keep pace with their progressive neighbors in other parts of the state."

TOPEKA SHOULD RESPOND.

Christ Hospital Must Have a Thousand Dollar Sewer.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Christ's hospital a committee consisting of Mr. John Farnsworth, Mr. S. B. Sweet and G. G. Gage, was appointed to consider the vital question of proper sewerage for the hospital. They have been in consultation with the city engineer and other experts, and a feasible plan for connecting with the city sewer has at last been found.

It necessitates the laying of a large amount of pipe and the expenditure of at least one thousand dollars. To meet this unexpected and heavy expense it is necessary that a special appeal be made to our citizens. It involves the very existence of the hospital, as its doors must be closed unless this improvement be immediately made.

The members of the Woman's guild are to make a great effort to collect this money, and earnestly beg for a patient hearing and liberal response.

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Settlements for the Expenses of the Past Month Made.

The Topeka insane asylum, state reform school, girls' industrial school and soldiers' orphans' home have made settlements with the state auditor and received warrants on the state treasurer for their expenses.

The insane asylum drew \$6,332; \$2,204.08 being for maintenance and \$8,127.92 for salaries. Reform school expenses were \$1,620.50. The reform school for girls cost the state \$631.22 and the soldiers' orphans' home \$1,975.05.

Band Concert at Garfield Park.

Marshall's Military band will give a grand open air concert at Garfield park tomorrow afternoon, commencing at three o'clock.

Notice. All negatives made at the photograph gallery at 115 East Fifth street will be found at Mann's gallery, 905 North Kansas avenue, where duplicate orders will be filled at any time.

C. G. WILLETT. Rositta, the 5c cigar, is made by a strict unionist of Topeka.

Peerless Steam Laundry—Peerless Steam Laundry. Read the "Wants." Many of them are as interesting as news items. See if it is not so.

Shirts mended by the Peerless.

FURMAN'S
\$3 \$4 and \$5
Gentlemen's Tan Colored Shoes.
The best goods offered for the money. Made up on the most popular lasts, in all widths to fit the foot.
FURMAN'S,
604 KANSAS AVE.
MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

BLACKKEY HERE IN JAIL.

Sheriff Burdge Lands His Thief Behind Bars.

Sheriff Burdge has arrived in Topeka with his prisoner from Colorado. The man under arrest gives his name as George Woods, but he is best known under the alias of "Blackkey."

Sheriff Burdge arrested him at Colorado City and says he did not seem to be in the least surprised when the arrest was made. In addition to the general charge of being the ringleader of a big gang of thieves who have been for some time operating between Chicago and Denver, "Blackkey" is charged with the robbery of the Rock Island freight car which occurred here a few weeks ago. He is also said to be one of the men who robbed the safe in the Missouri Pacific depot two weeks ago.

CLEMENS' NOVEL.

George Stone Will Make a Suitable Picture for the Cover.

G. C. Clemens has written a novel, which is now ready to be published, although several thousand people over the state have already read it. The title of Clemens' novel is "The Dead Line," and has been published in the Topeka Advocate as a serial under the nom de plume of "Rev. Gideon Lane."

Mr. Clemens this afternoon engaged Artist George Stone to designate a suitable cover for the novel. The principal feature of the novel is its criticism on the police system of this country.

How to Improve the Complexion. Every lady that has used the celebrated Elder Flower Cream recommends it as a great beautifier. It removes freckles, tan, blotches, etc., and leaves the skin soft, clear and beautiful. For sale by J. K. Jones.

Marshall's band concert at Garfield park tomorrow afternoon. Ten splendid new selections will be rendered.

Plenty of shade, water and seats, at Garfield park. Go out and hear the band concert tomorrow afternoon.

GEORGE MARTIN'S 187.

Good Men and True, Who Swear to Slick By Him.

Major E. N. Morrill's friends are not absolutely sure about the Hiawatha statesman being nominated for governor by acclamation when the Republican state convention meets here, June 6th.

It is now said that an agent of Major Morrill's friends recently visited Editor George Martin, and attempted to make an agreement by which Martin should retire from the fight for the nomination for governor. The Morrill man said he was authorized to say that if Martin would agree to this Major Morrill would throw all his support to Martin for state printer.

Martin refused to listen to these overtures, and a second agent of Major Morrill's is said to have visited him on a like mission, but he was likewise unsuccessful.

Martin's friends claim that 187 delegates have signed an agreement to vote for the Kansas City editor, and they think enough uninstructed delegates will go to their man at the proper time to nominate him.

For Probate Judge.

John L. Guy, whose announcement appears in this paper as a candidate for probate judge, was, during the late war, a private in Co. E, 18th Ohio infantry and lost his left arm at the battle of Stone River. For a number of years he was clerk of the courts of Gallia county, Ohio, and the judge, lawyers, county officers and business men unite in endorsing his work. He has served this city as deputy assessor, his field of labor being between Fifth and Tenth street on Kansas avenue, and all who have had business with him speak very highly of his intelligence, judgment, courtesy and fair treatment. From Mr. Guy's past record it is fair to presume, that if elected probate judge he will make an efficient, painstaking and accommodating official and will treat all persons who may have business with him honestly, impartially and justly.

"Our New Delight" and all Dangler stoves at H. M. Climes.

MRS. LEASE'S CONDITION.

The Stories About Her Fight Appear to Be Idle Fakes.

Mrs. Agnes Haviland, private secretary of Mrs. Mary E. Lease, writes as follows from Olathie:

To the Editor of the State Journal. Sir:—Mrs. Lease is not suffering from heart trouble or nervous prostration, but inflammatory rheumatism. She is improving rapidly and expects soon to be well. Her right arm and hand are still badly swollen and disabled, but she writes with her left hand for several hours each day.

Mrs. Lease is not at all disturbed by the threatening letters recently received, but laughs as heartily as any one around her about them. Her religion and philosophy have for years been of great service to her and enable her to remain calmly serene under the most trying circumstances. "Do the best you can with opportunities, leave the results with a higher power." This has been her life maxim and it leaves no room for doubt or fear.

She is very grateful for every earnest wish and prayer that is coming with every mail, especially to the women of the state, who are remembering her with gracious words and flowers. I am, Sincerely Yours, AGNES HAVILAND.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our kind friends for the kindness shown in our late bereavement. Mrs. May Malone, Elizabeth Malone.

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Pure blood means good health. Re-inforce it with Dr. Witt's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood, cures Eruptions, Eczema, Scrofula and all diseases arising from impure blood. It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

The State JOURNAL'S Want and Miscellaneous columns reach each working day in the week more than twice as many Topeka people as can be reached through any other paper. This is a fact.